



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Fischer et al.

Serial No.: 09/923,737

Filed: 08/06/2001

For: A Method and System for Write
Clock Synchronization in a
Data Storage System

Examiner: Ortiz, C.

Art Unit: 2655

RECEIVED

AUG 12 2004

Technology Center 2600

Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, Virginia 22313

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 02, 2004, in conjunction with the RCE filed herewith, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.